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Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) is a nonprovisional patent application:

For (Title): A ROTATING INSTRUMENTED SUSPENSION STOP FOR MEASURING  
VERTICAL FORCES

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- ☒ 13 pages of Specification/Claims 1-14/Abstract are attached.
- ☒ Formal drawings (Figs). 1-14; 7 sheets are attached.
- ☒ A Declaration and Power of Attorney is attached.
- ☒ An assignment of the invention to S.N.R. Roulements is attached, along with Form PTO-1595 and a check for \$40.00.
- ☐ An Information Disclosure Statement is attached, along with Form PTO-1449, and \_\_\_\_\_ reference(s).
- ☒ A Preliminary Amendment is attached.
- ☒ Priority of foreign application No. 0214899 filed November 27, 2002 in France is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.
- ☒ A certified copy of the above corresponding foreign application is attached.

The filing fee is calculated below and includes claim status after entry of any Preliminary Amendment noted above:

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- ☒ A check in the amount of \$1,172.00 (\$1,132.00 for the filing fee and \$40.00 for the Assignment Recordation Fee) is attached. Please charge any fee deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 01-2300.

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